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Weather forecast for Fredericksburg and vicinity. Fair Tuesday, rain Tuesday view.

State Senator Geo. B. Keezel is one of

the directors of the new national bank at Harrisonburg, Va.

A bust of the late Chief Justice Marshall, of Virginia, has been presented to Yale University by a Massachusett

Former Congressman W. B. Bynum, of Indiana, has been appointed a member of the board of general appraisers at New York, vice Wilkinson, resigned. Bynum was the secretary of the gold and is getting his reward. The office pays \$7,500 per year.

Mr. and Mrs. Park Agnew, of Alex of the nuptials of their eldest daughter, Miss Matilda Bell, to Mr. Walter Goodman Rogers, of the clerical force of the First National Bank, of that city. The wedding was a pretty home one and took place in Alexandria last week,

The clerk's office of Nottoway Courthouse was broken open last week and the poll-books of the recent election are the Postmaster General in McKinley's Gov. Johnston. missing. The returns had already been | Cabinet. sent by the clerk to the Secretary of the Commonwealth. A few slats were broken out of the window to the clerk's likely to be one, from Nottoway.

The Admiral Schley house fund has started with about \$1,000 raised. It is only expected to get \$35,000 with which to buy the Admiral a home. It is him after he was nominated Which is stated in this connection that the report right, the Spectator or The Free Lance? that Admiral Dewey intended to deed the home given him by his admirers throughout the country to his wife, Mrs. Dewey, formerly Mrs. Hazen, is unfounded.

it was not due to logical causes but that the disease was imported to the premises. There is an explanation of how the water appply became affected and precautions are recommended by the Health Board. The Board of Visitors have ordered the cadets to report November 28th.

The Free Lance, it seems inspublishin the outs and sketches of the Vir ginia State Senators within the territory embraced in its circulation, made a slip up in classing Senators Morris, of Albemarle and Greene among the benedicts. This it has already corrected upon the advice of the Charlottesville Progress. And now it seems that Dr. George W. LeCato, of Accomac, has been classed as married, whereas he should have been classed with widower Capt. S. R. Donohoe, of Fairfax.

A note from State Senator LeCato to The Free Lance says:

"The undersigned has been a widower for twenty-three years, and, up to the present moment, sadly without matrimonial prospects."

Now here are three cases, that call for the interposition and assistance of the Richmond press. True 1900 is no leap year, but a notice of these three interesting fit subjects for matrimony may lead to important consequences during the coming legislature, that dissolves in March 1900.

About six millions and a quarter of United States bonds have purchased under Secretary Gage's proposition to buy twentyfive millions of United States bonds to relieve the need of money moving south in Natal with an army throughout the country and especially in New York. The time for parties to British advance. offer these bonds does not expire until

Nevember 80th.

Both practically and "sentimentally" the Secretary's action has an excellent effect, and measurably dissipated any feeling of disquiet in regard to the money situation. Stock prices have advanced in consequence, and interest rates have been reduced. The good feeling generally results from con-fidence which the Treasury's action gines. has inspired.

Russell Sage, asked what he thought of the Treasury's offer to buy \$35,000,-000 of bonds, said:

"I believe Secretary Gage's action has saved the financial world from a directors panie. No one who has been in touch with business enterprises during the last few months can fail to the directory of the have realized the stringency of the money market. Ready money appeared to be extraordinarily source, and those who had it held it or demanded the highest class scurities before they let

of the country which had the hardest kind a of time in realizing money. And yet they held securities that oridnarily would have been negotiable anywhere.

'The sharps took advantage of the situation. They were making a rich harvest of it, but the Government has scopped their game.' I know of banks in different parts

Senator Daniel seems to have made A Hot Democratic Fight in Alabama. up his mind to fight Wm. J. Bryan, the Presidency of the United States, as his telegram to the N. Y. World published Bryan and Senator James K. Jones, of candidacy for Morgan's seat in the Arkansas, chairman of the National Senate. The town was jammed with Democratic Committee. These gentlemen think the result of the November elections indicate a Democratic victory in the Presidential election next year. Senator Daniel, however, says he sees "no encouragement to Democrats in the

recent elections. Per contra. Even Richard Oroker, of New York, a recent convert to Bryan and Tammany's chief leader in New York, says:

"He is well satisfied with the recent election, and that Bryan will be re-nominated and that the Democrats will win in New York, Ohio, Kentucky, Nebraska and Maryland."

If Mr. Oroker should be right in his predictions William J. Bryan will be the next President. The interview which Senator Daniel discredits in part and explains in part, if The Free Lance mistakes not, appeared in the Rich mond Dispatch, and The Free Lance is curious to know what the Dispatch has to say about the accuracy of that inter-

The Democratic press throughout the State seems to be so dazed that it is hesitating to speak The Staunton alleged deflection from Bryan. "The Spectator, however, has this unmistak-

"Possibly somebody can see the logic of Senator Daniel's discussion of the candidacy of Bryan, based upon certain results of the Ohio and Kentucky elections, but few will ever see the wisdom

The Free Lance has, in the kindest terms, warned Senator Daniel of his peril, but he evidently persists in what, to The Free Lance, seems to be, on his Democratic National Committee in 96, part, political folly. Can Senator Daniel hope to escape the fate of ex-Governor O'Ferrall and Lee? That is the question that sooner or later Senator andria, have made formal announcement | D. will have to answer. The columns friend of the Senator, who may desire to sustain his position. It cannot escape observation that the Senator used two papers outside of the State to disseminate his views, and one of these is the Philadelphia Press, whose editor is

Then, too, in 1896 our ''idolized Sen-ator'' was one of the leaders who were broken out of the window to the clerk's office. It seems there is a contest, or and naming Mr. Bryan.—Stannton Spectator.

The information which The Free Lance has is that Senator Daniel, to whom the Spectator refers as our "idol ized Senator," didn't favor Mr. Bryan's nomination, but lovally supported -Fredericksburg Free Lance.

The Spectator is not in a position to answer definitely the query of The Free Lance as to whether Senator Daniel favored the nomination of Bryan, but we do know that he took a leading part in Lexington's Health Board's report on the cause of the typhoid fever outbreak at the Virginia Military Institute says man to be placed poon it. Mr. Bryan convention, and owing to the enthusi-astic manner in which the standard was placed in his hands, we took it for granted that Senator Daniel favored the nomination of Mr. Bryan just as much as any other delegate. To settle the question, let Senator Daniel auswer, that is, if The Free Lance desires to find out who is right. -Staunton Spec-

The Free Lance has been at some pains to get the information about Seuator Daniel's attitude towards William J. Bryan at Chicago in 1896, and believes the facts will be found to be as tions follows, and that their accuracy will not be challenged by Senator Daniel or

The vote of Virginia was cast for Blackburn on the first ballot, and on the second, third and fourth it went to On the fifth and last ballot Virginia voted for Bryan. The unit rule prevailed. Senator Daniel's first choice was Blackburn, and it was entirely due to his personal influence that the 24 votes of Virginia were given to Blackburn on the first ballot. A majority of the delegates from Virginia were favorable to Bland, and under the verse favorable to Bland, and under the ronage, it is no wonder that Ohiowent operation of the unit rule the whole operation of the unit rule the whole vote was cast for him on the second, third and fourth ballots. Senator Daniel, after Blackburn, favored Bland. Virginia voted for Bryan on the fifth ballot, but it was apparent then that he had been nominated, for, when Virginia votes of Misginia was called, even the vote of Missouri had gone to Bryan.

The State Board of Fisheries was hard at work in Richmond last week preparing its report for the Legislature. All the members were present.

Foreign Affairs.

Gen. Joubert, the Boer commanderin-chief, is still alive, and is said to be of 10,000 men to meet the expected

The bombardment of Ladysmith is still proceeding.

The revolution in Colombia has now become widespread.

General MacArthur's advance has now reached Moncada, about 80 miles north of Manila.

Filipinos have blocked the northern part of the Manila-Dagupan railroad by wrecking a number of cars and en-

Bubonic Plague.

New York, Nov. 19.-A steamer arrived yesterday from Santos, Brazil, with captain and cook ill with suspectpatients are at Swinburne Island.

Ex-Oongressman E. E. Meredith continues to improve. As soon as he recovers his strength fully he will go to a hospital for treatment.

Rev. Mr. Grassman, of Pennsylvania, accepted the call.

Athens, Ala., Nov. 18 .- The cam next Democratic candidate for the prign in Alabama was opened in Limestone county today by one of the warmparticipants were John T. Morgau, U. elsewhere will show. In so doing he S. Senator, and Governor J. F. Johnis antagonizing the views of Mr. W. J. ston, who but recently announced his

> people from all parts of the State. The Senator and Gov. Johnston were liberally cheered by an audience of blacks and whites.

At the conclusion of the debate Gov. Johnston challenged the Senator to join him in all his appointments of the campaigu. This was accepted, and the people of Alabama have settled down to watch the warmest campaign ever inaugurated in their State.

The Governor said he believed Senator Morgan is not now in accord with the great body of the Democracy of the Union. The Governor did not believe in any monopoly in office. He then gave his reasons for securing the repeal of the constitutional convention act. He said he found the attorneys and the employes of corporations had been able to control the nominations, and that if held, the convention would have been in the hands of representatives of the corporations and gold standard men. The chief executive said he was in favor of education for the people, but would not favor the taking of the ballot from a single white man who had borne arms for the Confederacy.

INTERRUPTION AND DESIAL.

Much of the Governor's opening speech was devoted to Senator Morgan's Senator was willing to surrender Bryan to the goldbugs," he declared dramatically, at one point of his speech. This brought Morgan to his feet.

"No, that is not so," Senstor Morgan declared with great vigor. He added: 'But ready and willing to surrender Bryan or any other leader to the will of his party.'

Gov. Johnston criticised the Sens tor's position on expansion, and put himself on record as against this government taking in territory not contiguous to the United States.

The Governor dwelt upon the race question, as he thought it would develop under imperialism, quoting from an Havana dispatch, which told of to serve negroes. "For my part," he added, "I want none of that sort of thing. We have enough race problems now, without going after more."

Senator Morgan said he was in favor of taking the privilege of voting away from the negro, bringing about a most dramatic scene between himself and

What Senator Daniel Says.

The New York World publishes the following from Senator Daniel. It was sent from Lynchburg:

'I have made no public expressions touching Democratic candidates or platform for 1900, and such as have been attributed to me were in answer to hypothetical questions or made in private conversation and have appeared in reports without the qualifications given ity.

"I know no more than the general public, being constantly occupied in matters to be dealt with now, and have no suggestions or advice to offer which

"It is premature to shape issues before the conditions of 1900 are developed as they may be very different from was nominated without having been an those existing now. I am a believer in aspirant prior to the meeting of the the principles of the platform of 1896, which were largely opposed in the proportion that they were misunderstood dent fact that the platform of 1900 may require additions and qualifications to the work of 1896 which were not then and may not now be apparent.

"I have not lately seen or conferred with my colleague, Senator Martin and it is not true, as has been stated, that we have any concerted views or plans on the subject. I see no encouragement to Democrats in the recent elec-

Is Ohio Against McKinley? Senator James K. Jones in an inter-

view says:

"The Ohio election speaks volumes for Democracy, while to the Adminis- through Chicago last night on his tration it must carry uppleasant forebodings. The majority of the votes the meeting of the national committee cast in Ohio is against the Administra- at Washington December 14. tion. With the Republican party using as it did.

"I am sorry that McLean was beaten, for I expected him to be elected. As to Kentucky, we will, beyond any question, carry it triumphantly to victory for Democracy in 1900. As a whole, the elections were favorable to the Democratic party. If the Republicans are satisfied with the election I certainly am. The returning of Maryland to the fold of Democracy and the winning of Nebraska is an omen that bodes no good for the present Administration."

Tom Reed's First Time in a New York Court.

Ex-Speaker Reed last Friday made his first appearance as counsel in a case in the Supreme Court since his admission to the New York bar. He appeared for the defendants in a suit | ing the six new protected cruisers aubrought against William Rockefeller thorized by Congress. and others for an accounting of the affairs of the consolidation of the Brooklyn gas companies William D. Hornblower represented the plaintiff. Mr. Hornblower introduced Mr. Reed to Justice Werner, who was presiding, and who greeted him warmly.

Small-pox in Louisa.

The Louisa News says: "There is on Wm. J. Walton's farm a genuine ed bubonic plague. The ship has been and bad case of small-pox. Ollie Rigsdisinfected as far as possible without by is the victim. He is a young white discharging cargo. The crew have been man of family. He is badly broken out bathed and their clothes and effects with the disease. O. T. Jackson, a have been subjected to steam. The justice of the peace, had summoned before him Drs. J. B. Anderson and H. W. Holman Tuesday and placed Rigsby and family under quarantine. Several others who have had a chance to catch the small-pox from Rigsby have also

been quarantined "There is also another case just over has been called to fill the pulpit of the the Louisa line in Goochland-the name Lutheran church at Manassas. He has of the victim being a Mr. Olvis. He has been quayantined."

Goebel Is Far Behind.

est debates ever heard in politics. The NELSON COUNTY CASE DECIDED IN It Considers the Question of Expunging FAVOR OF TAYLOR.

Twelve Hundred Votes at Issue.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 18 -Gen. Taylor gained 1,198 votes today through a decision of Judge Jones at Glasgow, Ky., in the Nelson county case. The Courier-Journal rep rts from the official count in 118 of the counties of the State gave Taylor a p'urality of 261, This, with the Nelson county votes, makes Taylor's plurality 1,149, according to Democratic newspaper figures, which are less favorable to him than those received from Republican newspapers, and at the Republican State headquarters. In addition, the official count in Louisville has shown gains of several hundred votes for Taylor over the unofficial returns, which are not yet included in the Courier-Journal estimates, the counts in this city and county being still unfinished. Republican estimates of Taylor's plurality are now about 2,600.

Judge Jones' deciston in Glasgow today involved 1.198 votes, which, though east for W. S. Taylor, were certified for W. P. Taylor by the election officials, because of an error in printing forms. Judge Jones, on an application of Taylor, granted a writ decreeing the principal election officers of Nelson county to correct the error in their certificates and certify the vote for W. S. Taylor. Over twenty indictments were returned today by the Federal grand jury against alleged violators of election laws, but pending the arrest of the persons wanted, no names wil be made public

DEMOCRATS DISMAYED.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 18 -The de dsion of Circuit Judge Jones giving to W. S. Taylor 1.198 votes in Nelson county, erroneously cast for "W P Taylor." was a surprise at Democratic headquarters, and the news somewhat disheartened the Democratic leaders for a time. It is said the Court of Appeals is certain to advance the case and hear arguments on appeal early next week Gov. Bradley's position in the event of white men being jailed for refusing a controversy of the title to the governorship was the subject of a conference of Republican leaders at the State capi tol today, at which the governor him. self, Secretary Finley, Auditor Sloane Judge George Denny of Lexington, and others were present.

> What transpired is unknown. the Associated Press Gov. Bradley said: "I announced on the day after the election that, in my opinion, Tayfor had won. I have not changed my opinion, but what I will or will not do will depend altogether on circum stances. I shall be guided altogether by whatever is right, regardless of pulitical passion and prejudice. '

> Republican leaders, while believing that Bradley is preparing to dispute Goebel's claim, if he is given the cer tificate by throwing out the alleged votes, do not claim to speak by anthor-

> TAYLOR'S PLURALITY IN LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 18 -The Courier-Journal to-morrow will say 'The official count of the election returns in the twelve wards of the city of Louisville gives Taylor a plurality of thirty-one precincts, which have been race conflicts in this country. He said 2 990 votes. These figures include contested by the Democrats, but do not include the vote in ten precincts which have been passed by the commissioners for final consideration. These ten preor misrepresented, but it is a self-evi- cincts, according to newspaper returns, gave Goebel a plurality of 125

The Courier Journal's unofficial figuras give Louisville and Jefferson county to Taylor by 2,628 votes Monday the election officers will take up the county outside of Louisville, Thesa will increase Taylor's plurality.

AN ANTI-EXPANSIONIST.

Spreckles, Cali fornia Republican Commit teeman, So Declares.

Chicago, Nov. 17. - John D. Spreckles of San Francisco, a member of the Re. publican National Committee, passed way East. Mr. Spreckles will attend

"I'm an anti-expansionist," said he, 'and as I came through the great prairies of the West on this trip I could not but think of the great good that might have been done in our own country with the money which we are now spending to maintain the army in the

Philippines. "If that money had been spent in irrigation in the Western countries I believe the United State would reap greater benefits from it than it ever will by the retention of the Philippines."

Mr. Spreckles said that he thought it was very probable that the national committee would select Chicago as the place for holding the next national convention.

The New Cruisers.

The Board on Naval Construction at Washington has agreed upon a report recommending that the Navy Department award the contracts for construct-

The Trigg Shipbuilding Company of fornia gets one. The lowest bidders did not receive in preliminary work.

the preference in all cases, and it is presumed that the board was influenced in its selections by considerations of meritorious design and unquestionable ability of the concerns to perform the

In Memory of Women of the Confederacy. Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 18 -L. O. B.

Branch Camp of Confederate Veterans ex Confederates in North Carolina an appeal for funds to erect in Nash Square a monument to the memory of the women of the Confederacy. Each county is asked to contribute 10 cents for each lius living in other States.

State M. E. Conference.

Records.

Bishop A. W. Wilson Says Sensational Sermons Are "A Curse to Church Pulpits."

ginia Methodist Episcopal Conference audience. met today, with Bishop Wilson in the The association has elected the fol chair. Messrs. R H. Marks, William | Dwing officers: President, Judge W R. Evans, Joseph B. Langley, F B R Barksdale, South Boston; vice-presi McSparren, and Robert G. Garland, dents, Dr George W. Bigby, Powhacandidates for deapon orders, were call- tan; Henry L. Schmelez. Hampton; ed before the bishop, and after being Rev W. F Fisher, Norfolk, and A. J charged, the usual questions were pro- Willis; secretary, Hugh Smith, who pounded to them. They will be ordain- appoints Mr. H. T. Ellyson assistant ed tomorrow. Resolutions were adopted secretary; J. B. Montgomery, of Rich dissolving the colportage board of the mond, auditor; B. A. Jacob, treasurer. Brown was elected book agent of the was next presented and adopted

Nashville, Tenn., and also by Rev. Dr. and the Orphanage. J H Prichett, secretary of the foreign in the interest of missions. The most interesting business before the conference today, and which pro-

The conference was addressed by

voked much discussion, at times quite by Rev. Sidney Peters, to the effect Convention Board and the Northern punged from the records of the confer. should have charge of the evangelizaence. This cansed the discussion. The conference voted to expunge the records. the island, while the Northern So The total collections made at this conference to the twentieth century fund has been increased to \$20,000.

He Creates a Sensation.

Macon, Ga. Nov. 18 - Bishop H. M. Turner, of the African Methodist Epis' copal Church, delivered a sensational address yesterday to the Conference of the African Methodist church.

He urged every possible opposition by Georgia negroes to the Hardwick bill to limit the suffrage now before the Legislature

He said he proposed taking the stump himself and implored every minister present to do likewise. He said the law would reduce every negro to the ignoble status of a free slave, and that conditions under it would be worse than those prevailing before the war-that it would outlaw every black man and woman. He said the author was merely seek-

ing notoriety, and was backed by the 'poor white' element. "Not one negro in thirty ever thinks of voting," the Bishop declared. They do not sell their votes. Three

votes are sold for every negro ballot

purchased ' The Bishop denounced the Supreme O art of the United States for taking away the negroes' civil rights, but excepted Justice Harlan, who, he said, was the negroes' friend. He said the minister assist in getting signatures to the petition to Congress for an appropriation of \$105 000 000 to be used in sending 7,000,000 of the race to Africa so that there would be an end of the negro of Georgia on his knees, as he prays night and day to God "to blight and carse the promoters of this un-

Cardinal Gibbons In a Wreck.

righteons method."

Cardinal Gibbons and a party travelling with him had an exciting experience on their way North Thursday. The Illinois Central train, to which their car was attached, was run into by a passenger train of the Louisville and St Louis Railway at a place called Pleasure Ridge Park, Ky, eight miles below Louisville. The crash was a terrific one, it being a head-on collison, and both engines were wrecked, a postal car was telescoped and a number of trainmen were badly hurt. The train which was drawing the private car in which the Cardinal and party were travelling was running at the rate of about 30 miles an hour. The southbound train had just left a station and had not gained a speed of more than 10 miles an hour, and this, it is thought, accounts for the wreck not being more destructive. Nearly all the passengers were severely shaken up and consider-

ably frightened. Cardinal Gibbons' private car was on the rear of the train. The collision occurred early in the morning and the Cardinal and his party had just taken seats at the breakfast table When the crash came the table was thrown to one side, dishes were seut flying in different directions and broken, and lamp globes were smashed. Several members of the party were severely jostled about the car but none received even a slight cut or a bruise. The Cardinal was able to keep in his chair, this being due to the fact. probably, that he occupied a large and comfortable cushioned chair.

Merriam's Report.

Director Merriam, of the Census, estimates that there will be required f r the census of 1900 more than 50,000 enumerators, over 2 500 clerks and over 2,000 special agents. On November 1 Richmond, Va , gets one, and Cali- the entire office numbered 182, mostly women employed as skilled laborers in

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The Board of Supervisors of Russell county have levied a tax of fifty cents enlisted man it furnished to the Con- per head on all dogs in that county. federacy. An appeal for funds will The revenue derived from this subject also be sent to natives of North Caro- will be employed to improve county

Virginia Baptists.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 17—The seventy-sixth annual convention of the Blankets, Cloaks, General Baptist Association of Virginia opened in Richmond Friday night at the Second Church. Dr. A. E. Owens, of Berkely, presided. This body was to have met at Bristol, but the prevalence there of smallpox necessitated a change.

Dr. George Cooper, of the First Petersburg, Va., Nov. 18 -The Vir- mon, which was heard by an immense

Virginia conference, Rev. A. G. Richmond, Va., Nov. 19 -At the sessions of the Beptist General Assectaconference. The report on colportage tion of Virginia yesterday the report of the treasurer, B A. Jacob, showed considerable increase in the collections Rev. J. J. Tigert, editor of the South- for all the several funds, except the ern Blustrated Review, published at Sunday school and the Bible Board

> employed 653 missionaries within the boundaries of the Southern Baptist Columbia. Cash receipts for the year tion of the four Western provinces of ciety occupies the Eastern.

Virginia Endeavorers Elect Their Officers.

ginia State Union Christian Endeavor Society elected officers today as follows President, R. E. Hatton, Lexington vice presidents, Rev. L O. Bricker. Staunton; Rev. C. W. Trawick, Buena Vista, and Rev. W. J. Cooke, Woodstock; secretary, Miss Lola O. Phillips, Richmond; treasurer, H. F. Lowe, Falls Church. The next annual con vention will be held in Winchester in the third week in September, 1900.

Washington, November 18 - The marriage of Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebrasks, and Mrs Lola Purman daughter of Mr. and Mrs W. J Purbride's parents.

ceremeny, after which the bride and groom took a private car of the Union Pacific railroad, for a two-weeks' tour

who is to be Speaker of the next Hou e negroes had no army, but that God was of Representatives, arrived in Washingon their side. He urged that every ton last Friday and has established himself at the Normandie Hotel for the

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Dr. F. O McConneil read the report

mission beard, at Nashville, who spoke of the Home Missions Board During the year, ended May 1, 1899, the board Convention and Indian and Oklahoma spirited, was the Cannon-Bennett-Laf- Territories, Caba and the District of 1895 and which was brought about by were \$61,794.58, an increase of \$7.744 Gray Blankets, publications in the Richmond Christian 17. As regards the work in Caba, the Advocate, of which Rev Dr. Lafferty report says that to avoid friction and is the editor. Resolutions were offered define mutual relations, the Southern that the proceedings in the case be ex. Society agreed that the Southern Board

Most of the Protestant pulpits today were filled by members of the associa-

Lexington, Va., Nov. 18 - The Vir-

Senator Thurston Married.

man, of Washington, was solemnized this morning at the residence of the

Hon. David B. Henderson, of Iowa, A



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in we figures. They are meritorious goods, and every tar. e lady should see these and know the Closing Out Prices.

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utation of this mill needs no comment. BARGAIN HUNTERS WILL HAVE A SNAP Come Early OR VOU WILL LOSE IT.

For Ladies' Skirts, Men's Suits and ends for the Boys, they have no equal.

J. T. Lowery & Co., Cheapest Dry Goods & Notion House in Virginia.

the matter.

T. W BERREY, p. q.

Fifty citizens of Richmond, headed by Congressman Lamb, called at the War Department and had an interview with Scoretary Root regarding the digging County, the 18th day of October, 1899 Charles G. Byram Plaintiff, Against Department and had an interview with Department and had an interview with Secretary Root regarding the digging of a 25-foot channel in the James river from Richmond to the sea. The visitors said that one large shipbuilding plant had already been established at Richmond, and that others would be Richmond, and that others would be said the sea of Virginia, she is hereby required to appear in the said the k's Office, within 15 days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest.

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Charles G. Byram.

Defendent The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce themens at there against the defendant. Add. Syram, is not a resid not of the Sia e of Virginia, she is hereby required to always after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect her interest.

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